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ANNUAL REPORT
SELECTMEN
OF THE
TOWN OF CONWAY,
FOR THE
YEAR ENDING MARCH, 1859.

CONCORD:
STEAM PRINTING WORKS OF McFARLAND & JENKS,
PHENIX BLOCK, MAIN STREET.
1859.

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ANNUAL REPORT

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REPORT.

Received of the County of Carroll,	\$382.69
“ from State Literary Fund,	81.76
“ “ the Town,	104.00
“ “ Taxes assessed,	5365.21

\$5933.66

Paid County Tax,	\$446.79
State Tax, in hands of Collector,	245.70
Teachers' Institute,	14.04
Appropriated for Schools,	702.00
Interest to Savings Bank,	120.00
“ Abbie Wentworth,	30.00

\$1558.53

Outstanding Bills left unpaid prior to March, 1858.

David Allard's Tax for 1855, abatement,	\$1.49
George Hill's “ “	1.49
Joshua Hill's “ “	1.49
David E. Bean's account,	1.00
A. C. Basset, abatement of Tax for 1856,	1.56
N. F. Barnes, “ “ “	1.56
B. R. Guptill, “ “ “	1.56
William Hill, “ “ “	1.56
Hazen Lewis, “ “ “	1.56
Hiram Philbrook, “ “ “	1.56
William Williams, “ “ “	1.56
A. J. Pettee, “ “ “	2.15
Benjamin Merrill, “ “ “	1.84
Simon Fifield, “ “ “	.47
Aaron Henderson, “ “ “	.32
Jonah Hamilton, “ “ “	.60
Robert Boothby, “ “ “	1.68
Benjamin Merrow, “ “ “	2.02
Joseph Loud, abatement, “ “ “	2.02
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	\$27.49

Outstanding Bills.

Paid Assisting Indians,	\$4.76
James M. Allard, for Indians,	60.75
Dr. Thomson, for Indians,	4.00
Jacob Lewis, for Simeon Westcott,	51.03
Dr. Towle, for Simeon Westcott,	25.00
I. Dow, for Mrs. Smith and family,	2.00
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	\$147.54

Abatements in 1858.

J. W. Lovejoy, abatement,	\$1.67
Joseph Bean, “	1.29
Chandler E. Chase for Dr. Channing,	1.16
Samuel Burbank,	1.16
John McMillan,	1.16
Ephraim Hatch,	.58
Benaiah Guptill,	2.78
Horace W. Chamberlain, for Samuel Chamberlain,	2.09
Joshua Clark,	2.76
Simeon Eaton, abatement on Taxes for 1857,	5.00
Ivory H. Wakefield, on land of E. Hatch,	1.74
Charles A. & L. H. Merrill,	8.14
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	\$29.53

New Road.

Paid Samuel Hazelton, Committee of Acceptance,	\$3.00
E. Cloutman, for surveying, &c.,	12.00
In part for building,	1100.00
Balance due when completed,	371.00

Support of the Poor.

Paid Joseph P. Eaton, for support of Olive Anderson,	\$20.00
Ozem Davis, for support of Mrs. Burbank,	28.36
John Batchelder, for support of Mrs. Whitaker,	19.00
Amzi Russel, for support of Mrs. George,	160.50
James Russel, for support of Alvah Russel,	156.00
George Hill, for Sarah Howe,	50.00
Thomas Shackford, for James Bean and wife,	125.00
William Harmon, for Alonzo Marden,	33.00
Arnold Floyd, for Ann Forrest,	15.00
Asahel Thompson, for Ellen Forrest,	12.00
George Smith, for John Kelley,	40.00

Isaac C. Bean, for support of Mary Jane Brown and child,	25.00
Ansel Page, for supplies for widow D. Eastman,	10.06
Dr. Kimball, for Alvah Russell,	25.00
Dr. Thompson's bill for attendance on A. Russel, B. Anderson, Mrs. Whitaker and Mrs. Smith,	6.50
Hiram Annis, wood for Mrs. Fifield,	3.94
L. S. Morton, for widow Dolly Eastman,	8.17
Joseph Greenleaf, for attendance upon A. Russel,	35.28
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	\$772.81

County Poor.

Newell Cook, and family, support of,	\$45.27
Support of Samuel Sargent at the Insane Asylum,	143.70
Ichabod Cook, for Nancy Cook and child,	82.62
Dr. Lamson, for attendance on Newell Cook's family,	4.50
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	\$276.09

Highways and Bridges.

Paid J. R. Thompson's bill, for measuring stone,	\$2.00
Otis Meader, for labor in District No. 18,	6.00
Chandler Heath, for bridge in No. 12,	8.00
David Leavitt, for damaging plow,	1.00
Henry Allard, plank for bridge, District No. 10,	1.21
David Wakefield, for labor in District No. 16,	3.00
Wm. B. Perkins, for work on Bridge, Dist. No. 2,	22.25
Lewis M. Tucker, for labor on Hanson's Bridge,	2.50
Warren Gannett, for labor on highway, (Swift River Bridge)	4.25
Morrill H. Clark, for labor in District No. 18,	3.00
John Hill, for labor, timber and brush at the Tannery Bridge,	19.00
Isaac S. Davis, for work on Bridge, in District No. 7,	6.25
A. C. Lovejoy, for road across his land,	5.00
George W. Hill, for repairing road in District No. 3,	2.50
Arnold Floyd, for timber and plank on Stark's Bridge,	7.91
L. S. Morton, for stone-work on the same,	150.00
Tobias Littlefield, for labor in District No. 9,	12.00
Charles H. Shackford, for splitting stone in District No. 16,	2.25
Ithamar Seavey, for plank on Smith's Bridge,	8.50

E. P. Lamson, for superintending laying stone, and labor on Stark's Bridge,	5.00
John Batchelder, for labor, and one stringer for the same,	2.75
Jonah Hamilton, for land damages on new road,	20.60
Charles Hill,	36.00
L. T. Hale,	3.50
James Willey, for labor,	9.00
George W. Pitman, for surveying,	2.00
44 lbs. iron, and 7½ lbs. bolts for Stark's Bridge,	3.30
Iron from Portland, and cutting screws for same,	6.00
George Merrow, for highway work in 1857,	90.00
Nath'l Abbott, for 470 ft. 3 inch plank,	8.46
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	\$453.23

General Expenses.

Paid Town Clerk's bill,	\$22.16
Superintending School Committee,	25.00
Nath'l Abbott's bill, selectman,	58.92
Nath'l Abbott, for services on roads, taking care of poor, &c.,	22.85
Isaac E. Merrill's bill, selectman,	50.75
Elijah Staunton, for collector's book, 1857,	1.00
Stationery,	1.00
I. Dow, for board of selectmen,	18.34
1 quire of paper,	.20
A. Floyd, for board,	8.86
Zara Cutler's bill for services,	9.00
Zara Cutler, for making county papers,	3.00
T. A. Hanson, order,	25.00
Jacob Lewis, order,	125.00
A. C. Lovejoy, bounty on bear,	2.00
Mark Britton, 2 do.	4.00
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	\$377.08

RECAPITULATION.

Amount of funds in hands of Selectmen, per Report,	\$568.45
Taxes assessed,	5,365.21

Amount paid out as follows, to wit:

County Tax,	446.79
State Tax, in Collector's hands,	245.70
Teacher's Institute,	14.04

Appropriated for Schools,	702.00
Interest to Savings Bank,	120.00
Interest to Abbie Wentworth,	30.00
Outstanding bills,	175.03
Abatements for 1858,	29.53
New road,	1,115.00
Support of poor,	772.81
County poor,	276.09
Highways and Bridges,	453.23
General expenses,	377.08
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	\$4,757.30

Liabilities of the Town.

Note, Clarissa Towle,	\$539.39
Interest on do., to March 10, 1859,	32.36
" Joshua Towle,	187.80
Interest on do.,	11.26
" Abbie Wentworth,	500.00
Interest paid up.	
" Concord Savings Bank,	2,000.00
Interest paid up to April 27, 1859.	
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	\$3,270.81
Due from the State for bounty on bears,	6.00
Due from the County,	276.09
Due from Collector, taxes for 1857,	443.00
Due from Collector for 1858,	1,176.36
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	\$1,901.45

Errors excepted.

NATH'L ABBOTT, } *Selectmen of*
 ISAAC E. MERRILL, } *Conway.*

REPORT OF TOWN LIQUOR AGENT.

FROM FEB. 20, 1858, TO FEB. 19, 1859.

Amount of Liquor on hand Feb. 20, 1858, 73.60

Bought of Seth E. Pecker, of Boston.

165½ gallons Old Medford Rum,	63.34
85 " Holland Gin,	102.33
40 " Mong. Whiskey,	31.50
6 " Cog. Brandy,	21.00
6 " Alcohol,	4.20
Paid for transportation,	23.04
Agency and rent,	53.00

372.01

Number of sales 1650, amounting to,	315.50
Balance in favor of the town, Feb. 20, 1858,	9.47
Liquor on hand,	47.50

372.47

RECAPITULATION.

Received for sales,	315.50
Balance from 1858,	9.47
Liquor on hand,	47.50

372.47

Amount received, 372.01

Balance in favor of town, .46

ELIPHALET CLOUTMAN, *Town Liquor Agent.*

CONWAY, Feb. 19, 1859.